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An Application Number and Filing Date have been assigned to this application. The items indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). If any of items 1 or 3 through 5 are indicated as missing, the SURCHARGE set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of ☐ \$55.00 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, or ☐ \$130.00 for a non-small entity, must also be timely submitted in reply to this NOTICE to avoid abandonment.

If all required items on this form are filed within the period set above, the total amount owed by applicant as a ☐ small entity (statement filed) ☒ non-small entity is \$ 130.

☐ 1. The statutory basic filing fee is:

- ☐ missing.  
☐ insufficient.

Applicant must submit \$\_\_\_\_\_ to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).

☐ 2. The following additional claims fees are due:

\$\_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ total claims over 20.

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Applicant must either submit the additional claim fees or cancel additional claims for which fees are due.

☒ 3. The oath or declaration:

- ☒ is missing or unsigned.  
☐ does not cover the newly submitted items.

An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, including residence information and identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date is required.

☐ 4. The signature(s) to the oath or declaration is/are by a person other than inventor or person qualified under 37 CFR 1.42, 1.43 or 1.47.

A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.

☐ 5. The signature of the following joint inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:

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☐ 6. A \$50.00 processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment (37 CFR 1.21(m)).

☐ 7. Your filing receipt was mailed in error because your check was returned without payment.

☐ 8. The application was filed in a language other than English.

Applicant must file a verified English translation of the application, the \$130.00 set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(k), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).

☐ 9. OTHER:

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS**

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Sir:

Transmitted for filing in the above-referenced patent application are the following:

- ☐ A Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9(f) and 1.27.
- ☒ An Assignment of the invention to Gentex Corporation, Assignment cover sheet, with authorization to charge to our Deposit Account No. 18-0013 \$40.00 for the recording fee.
- ☒ A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney.
- ☒ A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted, Form PTO-1533.
- ☒ Authorization to charge to our Deposit Account No. 18-0013 of \$130.00 for the large entity surcharge for late filing of the Declaration as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e).

The commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-0013.

1. Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17;
2. Any filing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 for presentation of extra claims; and
3. Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16.
4. A duplicate copy of this correspondence is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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I certify that this document and fee is being deposited on October 4, 1999 with the US Postal Service as first class mail under 37 CFR 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Box Missing Parts, Washington, DC 20231.

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